

The Stepney Star

Stepney Primary School



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Weekly Newsletter
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Year 6 in the Capital!

Meeting at 6.30 on Monday at Paragon Station, our year 6 children boarded the high-speed train to journey to London for an amazing day, courtesy of The Children's University. During the day, they visited the Houses of Parliament and went on the London Eye, as well as going in a 4D simulator! Everyone enjoyed this amazing experience. Our profound thanks go to Dr Buttrick and his staff! It was truly a wonderful experience that we are now planning to build into our year 6 programme.

Nurse and Needles !

Following on from Mr Browning's reminder in our Friday assembly, Jakki Metcalfe, our school nurse, went into each class on Tuesday, telling pupils about syringes. She explained what she, as a nurse, uses these for and showed pupils what they look like (they were all brand new clean needles and pupils weren't allowed to touch them). Jakki asked them what they should do if they saw any needles lying around and who they should get to deal with them. As Jakki explained, we don't usually find many discarded ones about, but it is a good idea to ensure we all know what to do if we see any. Pupils were reminded that not everyone uses syringes for genuine medical reasons but for taking drugs. If anyone requires any further information regarding this or other issues, please contact the school

Click Clever - E-safety !

We were delighted to welcome the brilliant 'Spin Off' Theatre company, who came into school to perform a show and then conduct workshops with years 4, 5 & 6 on the dangers of

cyberbullying. They gave our pupils many useful messages about the importance of e-safety. A list of websites with hyperlinks are listed below. May we also remind you that Mr Browning and Miss Atkinson are trained CEOP Ambassadors, specialising in e-safety.

<http://www.beatbullying.org/>

<http://www.bullying.co.uk/>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/topics/stay-safe>

<http://www.childline.org.uk/Pages/Home.aspx>

<http://www.kidsmart.org.uk/>

<http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/>

School Photo's

On Wednesday we will be having the school photographers in school. Each child will have his/her photograph taken on their own and family photos can be taken as well. If you have a child not at school but would like him/her on the family photo please come to school for 9am. A proof photo will be sent to you in a few weeks, but, as always you are under no obligation to buy.

Bikeability !

It's certainly a busy week for our year 6 pupils! This week, they started a Bikeability course. We have had these trainers in before and they have delivered a wonderful programme helping our pupils to improve their cycling and road safety skills.

Halloween Disco Reminder

Just to remind you that on Friday 25th October, we are having our Halloween Disco. This year, we are staggering it so that during the afternoon, our Reception and year 1 pupils will have their disco in school time and years 2-6 after school until 4.30pm. It'll cost 50p for all children, which covers refreshments. Older children can bring extra money (but not too much!) for additional snacks and sweets. Pupils will be able to change for the disco during Golden Time.

Autumn Crafts in the Park!

The Yorkshire Wildlife Trust are holding an 'Awesome Autumn' craft workshop in Pearson Park Wildlife Garden on Tuesday 29th October between 10am and 2pm. This costs £2. For more information and to book, phone 01482 441013.

Half Term Holiday

May we remind you that we break up for the autumn half term holiday on Friday 25th October and return to school on Monday 4th November.

Autumn Class Assembly Dates

October 2013

- Year 6 Assembly - Thurs 24th

Autumn Exhibition Dates

November 2013

- Phase 4/5 Exhibition—Thurs 14th
 - Phase 2/3 Exhibition—Thurs 21st
 - EYFS/Yr 1 Exhibition—Thurs 28th
- December 2013
- Yr 6 Exhibition—Thurs 5th

Christmas Production Dates

December 2013

- EYFS/Yr 1 Production - Mon 16th
- Phase 2/3 Production - Tues 17th
- Phase 4/5 Production - Thurs 19th
- Christmas Service at St. Mary's Church, Sculcoates

Child Protection: Please remember to report Child Protection concerns to Miss J. Atkinson

What the children need next week

Foundation Stage PE Kits Friday.

Year 1 PE Kits Mondays.

Year 2/3A PE Kits Tuesday

Year 2/3B PE Kits Tuesday

Year 4/5A PE kits Wednesday

Year 4/5B PE kits Wednesday

Year 6 PE kits Thursday

Rainbow Writing Winners

Owing to e-safety training for our pupils on Tuesday, we have not had a Winners Assembly this week.

Mighty Maths Winners

This week's winners are:

Year 1 Didi & Mohammed

Class 2/3a Tarell & Jagoda

Class 2/3b Cara & Sunny

Class 4/5a Rifath, Precious & Natalia

Class 4/5b Kacper, Edwin & Finley

Class 6a Martin & Hilal

Class 6b Bradley & Patryck

Stars of the Week!

Foundation Stage: Dominik

Year 1: Jackson

Year 2/3A: Jagoda

Year 2/3B: William

Year 4/5A: Courtney

Year 4/5B: Hollie Gibbins

Year 6A: Kallam

Year 6B: Ellie



Distinction Awards!

Year 1: Jack & Xia

Year 2/3B: Evie & Mahdiyah

Year 4/5B: Scott & Lauren

Year 6B: Callum

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Extra-Curricular Clubs

Monday

Today's Menu: Pork Meat Balls in Tomato Sauce, Noodles, Seasonal Vegetables. **Vegetarian Option:** Cheese Pasta Bake

Dessert: Chocolate Treacle Sponge & Custard.

Lunchtime ICT K/S 1

3-15pm-4.15pm Multi skills, KS1

Tuesday

Today's Menu Chicken Curry, Rice, Seasonal Vegetables.

Vegetarian Option: Jacket Potato with Baked Beans **Dessert:** Ginger Biscuit.

3.15pm –4.15pm School Choir Y1 –Y6

3.15pm– 4.15pm Bench Ball KS2

3.15pm - 4.15pm French Y3-Y6

3.15pm—4.15pm Basic Maths Rec/Y1

Wednesday

Today's Menu: Beef Burger in a Bun, Potato Wedges, Seasonal Vegetables. **Vegetarian Option:** Spaghetti Napoliteine

Dessert: Ice Cream & Fruit

Lunchtime Reading Year 2/3

3.15pm –4.15pm Football Club KS2

3.15pm 4.15pm Bug Club Whole school

3.15pm –4.15pm Story time Rec/Y1

3.15pm—4.15pm Football Club

Thursday

Today's Menu Roast Beef & Gravy, Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables. **Vegetarian Option:** Curried Vegetables **Dessert:** Shortcake & Custard.

Lunchtime Study Club Y6

3.15pm-4.15pm Basketball KS2

3.15pm –4.15pm Cookery Rec-Y3

3.15pm –4.15pm Eco Club Y4 –Y6

3.15pm –4.15pm Card Making Y5-Y6

3.15pm –4.15pm ICT Whole School

Friday

Today's Menu: Battered Fish, Chips, Seasonal Vegetables.

Vegetarian Option: Mediterranean Flan **Dessert:** Chocolate Fruit Crispy.

3.15pm-4.15pm Football KS2

3.15pm –4.15pm Sewing Year 5-Y6